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PATENT Attorney Docket No. 07781.0319-00 SAP Reference No. 2003P00917 US

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of:  |                                     |
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| Udo KLEIN et al.   | Group Art Unit: 2164                |
| Application No.: 10/808,671  | Examiner: PANNALA, Sathyanarayan R. |
| Filed: March 24, 2004  | ,<br>,                              |
| For: DATABASE SYSTEM AND METHOD WITH ASSIGNED LOCKS (as amended)       | Confirmation No.: 6228              |
| Commissioner for Patents<br>P.O. Box 1450<br>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 |                                     |

## **AMENDMENT**

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), fulfills the requirement for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and responds to the Final Office Action mailed August 8, 2007, the period for reply to which extends through November 8, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.